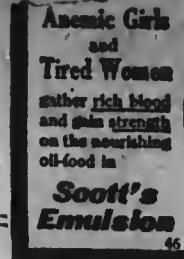


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BECKHAM WINS FOR U. S. SENATOR.

Plurality is Not Large, but Apparently Safe.—Willson His Probable Opponent.

In the State primary last Saturday, Ex-Gov. J. C. W. Beckham was nominated for United States Senator, full term. His plurality over Stinney is somewhere between 2000 and 3000 votes, according to the latest figures. Stinney has not yet conceded Beckham's victory.

Senator Camden won for the short term by the enormous majority of \$0,000 or more.

The race between Augustus E. Willson and Richard Ernst for the Republican nomination for the long term is very close, but Willson seems to have won.

Marshall Bullitt, of Louisville, wins over Henry Fitzpatrick for the short term Republican nomination.

The vote cast in the State was a little less than 60 per cent of the Democrats and a smaller per cent of the Republicans.

Fields Wins for Congress.

Congressman W. J. Fields carried every county in the Ninth district. His majority is about 12,000.

Campbell Cantrell defeated Claude Thomas for Congress in the Lexington district by 6,000.

Judge Hobson, of the Court of Appeals, was defeated for re-nomination.

Caleb Powers won out again in the 11th district.

GER LOUISIAN

DIED IN IRONTON.

Thursday evening, July 30th, Bussey, a native of this city, died at 10 o'clock p. m. in the cottage where he was occupying a small room near his work while his family, consisting of his wife and two children, lived at home.

On the following Saturday afternoon at the late residence of the deceased a short distance from this city, and in the presence of many sorrowing relatives and sympathizing friends, impressive funeral services were conducted by Mr. Shannon's former pastor, the Rev. C. B. Plummer, of the M. E. Church. The Rev. B. M. Keith, of the M. E. Church South, assisted in the service. Mr. Plummer was called from another point to bury his esteemed parishioner and church officer, arriving on the day of the funeral. He selected for his text the immortal, inspiring words of Job: "I know that my Redeemer liveth"—at all times appropriate at the death of a Christian, and doubly so on this occasion, as they were the public testimony of the deceased when he last spoke in the church of which for many years he had been a consistent member. At the conclusion of the home service the body in its flower-covered casket was borne to Pine Hill cemetery and was there buried to await the resurrection of the dead.

James W. Shannon was born in Tazewell county, Virginia, 72 years ago, but in his early boyhood the family moved to this county and later to this city, where, except during a short stay in Kansas, he passed the remainder of his life. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having been a Lieutenant of the 14th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry. His wife was Miss Kate Sullivan, who is the sister of Mrs. Tom Songer, of Ashland, and H. C. and W. N. Sullivan, of this city. Mrs. Shannon and five children survive the husband and father. The children are Mrs. Rice McClure, Miss Ruth Shannon and E. E. Shannon, of Louisville, Miss Lizzie Shannon, of Philadelphia, and the Rev. Frederick F. Shannon, of Brooklyn, N. Y. One son, Chris, died a few years ago. Mr. Shannon is also survived by one sister, Mrs. James C. Layne, of Huntington.

The laws enacted at the recent session of the Legislature for prevention of blindness will also be discussed and will be taken looking to making them effective. Hundreds of physicians from all parts of the South will be present at the meeting.

NOT PUBLIC.

It may be well to remember that Mountain Park is not public property, and those who use it for picnics or other purposes should be regardful of the rights of others. Damage has been done to growing crops because of carelessness in the matter of shutting gates.

TWO KILLED IN MINES.

Bea Harrison and Elzie Littler, sons of Lem Littler, were killed in the May Luck Coal Company's mines at Auxier Monday afternoon. They were killed by a premature blast.

SOW TURNIPS.

Plan to sow a good patch of turnips. Scarcity of potatoes will create a heavier demand for them. Sow a patch big enough for home consumption and have plenty for market.

Miss Sallie Chafin, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. McClure, has gone to Portsmouth to visit relatives in that city. She was accompanied by her aunts, Miss Goodwill McClure, and will remain about two weeks.

On last Sunday evening No. 38 stopped in Louisville long enough to allow Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Howard, of Prestonsburg, a few minutes' chat with friends who met them at the train. The Howards were on their way from Olympia Springs to their home in Prestonsburg.

Jim Norton Friday returned from Little Falls, N. Y., where he had been with the Richmond Contract Co.

CITY COUNCIL CHANGES CORPORATE LINES.

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday evening, with all present but H. G. Wellman. There was but little done except to take the preliminary steps to somewhat change the corporate limits of the town. The proposed change is to put a part of the James Q. Lackey residence property outside the city limits. This is to enable Mr. Lackey to sell to the executors of the will of the late Rev. Robert Callahan a part of the property for school purposes. It will be remembered that Mr. Callahan left \$20,000 which was to be devoted to the building of a denominational school which was to be erected somewhere between Louisville and Ashland, but not within the corporate limits of either city. It is said that a deal is about to be consummated whereby the administrators of Mr. Callahan will obtain possession of as much of the Lackey farm as they will need, hence the action of the Council Tuesday night.

AGED WOMAN BADLY INJURED.

On Tuesday, July 28th, Mrs. Dellah Travis, who lives on Brushy Fork, in the Wilbur neighborhood, fell and broke her hip. Owing to advanced age, 80 years, her recovery will be very slow. She is the widow of Green Travis and a sister of former Jailer Al Hayes.

THE DEATH SUMMONS FOR JAS. W. SHANNON.

Prominent Citizen Dies After An Illness of Several Months.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE ON LICK CREEK.

About 3 o'clock on Wednesday morning the building on Lick Creek used as a barn by the brothers Andy and Fred See was discovered to be on fire. The flames had already made much headway, and before they could be saved a span of fine horses, a ton of hay and nearly \$100 worth of other feed, harness, etc., were entirely consumed. The entire loss amounts to several hundred dollars, and falls very heavily on two worthy young men.

The barn was located about three miles from Louisville, near a sawmill on the Billie Layne tract of timber. The timber had been bought by the Diamond brothers, and they had engaged the See's to haul the logs to the mill.

There was no fire about the barn, and the origin of the burning is a mystery.

Some of the logging outfit slept not far from the barn, and one of the men, who was up and out an hour or so before the flames were discovered was no one around.

It is believed that the fire disaster was the work of tramps.

The horses lost were known as the Bob Akers grays, large, splendid animals.

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Agents from the Kentucky School for Blind Children are seeking pupils who would appreciate an education.

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CONCERNING MRS. HERR.

A Cosmopolitan Club of Camp Fire Girls of America will be organized at the Battle Creek Sanitarium in the course of a few days under the direction of Mrs. Emily Walker Herr, social secretary of the institution.

She had a meeting recently with girls from at least ten states, who are registered at the Sanitarium and who belong to the Camp Fire groups in their home towns. One young woman has charge of the Camp Fire work at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., and another comes from California.

Mrs. Herr is much interested in Camp Fire work. She is taking active steps now to get into communication with the National Camp headquarters.

The aim is to have a permanent organization at the Sanitarium, which Camp Fire girls may visit when in this city.—Battle Creek Daily Journal.

Mrs. Herr is a sister of Mrs. W. F. Shipman, and has visited her on several occasions. She has many friends here who will be glad to learn of the pleasant work she is now engaged in. She has done much writing for the best magazines and journals of the country and this work is a diversion and restful for the hot season.—Ashland Independent.

"The muffled drum's sad roll has beat

The soldier's last tattoo.

No more on life's parado shall meet

The brave and chosen few.

On Flame's eternal camping ground

Their silent tents are spread,

And glory guards with solemn round

The bivouac of the dead."

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MC CREEARY CHEERFUL ALTHOUGH DEFEATED.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 3.—Gov. McCreary returned to Frankfort yesterday, feeling fine and without any sore spots. He is eager to congratulate the nominee for United States Senator as soon as he learns definitely who is the lucky man.

That his majorities promised him in the big cities were switched to Congressman Stanley the day before the election there can be no doubt. He will take the stump for the candidate, he said last night, and thinks the Democrats will win in the November election.

Governor McCreary said:

"My friends two days before the primary election informed me I would have large majorities in Louisville, Covington, Newport, Lexington and other cities; but the day before the election the lines were drawn close between Stanley and Beckham on certain issues, especially on the temperance question, and my majorities were transferred.

"There were a number of counties where the same work was done. I have no animosity to any person and I am thankful to my Democratic friends and supporters for the thousands of votes cast for me. I am especially grateful that my home county, Madison, gave me a thousand majority over both of my opponents.

"I expect to return to Richmond when my term as Governor expires. I will congratulate the candidate for United States Senator, long term, as soon as I ascertain certainly who has been nominated, and I will stand ready to vote for the nominee and make speeches in his favor before the November election."

ROBERT DIXON TAKES CHARGE OF LOUISA POSTOFFICE.

On Saturday, August 1st, the Louisa postoffice passed from the charge of A. M. Hughes to that of Robert Dixon, the appointee of President Wilson. The confirmation of Mr. Dixon by the Senate was voted in last week's issue of this paper, with deserved commendation of the new postmaster.

The affairs of the office are being conducted in the proper manner and the innumerable will no doubt give entire satisfaction to all concerned.

It is the consensus of opinion, voiced by all who are served at the Louisa postoffice, Democrats and Republicans alike, that this city never had a better postmaster than A. M. Hughes.

During an incumbency of more

than twelve years no word of complaint was ever uttered against him.

He has been strictly "onto his job," prompt and efficient.

He has been uniformly courteous and obliging, answering the many and often useless

questions asked a postmaster politely and cheerfully.

He has handled the numerous mails rapidly and correctly, doing the growing business of the office to the entire satisfaction of the public and the department.

WANT DISTRIBUTION OF ANTI-HOG CHOLERA SERUM.

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"WE further desire from you an

expression as to whether or not you

will consider the distribution of the

serum in the future through these

channels; if not we, in self-defense,

shall consider it our duty to use a

serum which we know to be manufactured

not only to be potent, but also to be so

manufactured and so distributed as

not to cause a spread of the disease,

which we are trying to eradicate

"We are further convinced that the

present outbreak of hog cholera in

Henderson county is due, to a consider-

able extent, to the injudicious use of

the serum of nongraduates and incom-

petent laymen.

"Trusting to hear from you in re-

gard to this matter at your earliest

convenience, we are, yours very truly,

"G. J. BEHRENS, Secretary."

LAWRENCE COUNTY FOR GOV. MCCREARY.

Democrats Show Loyalty to Their Friend and Benefactor.

The Delegates of Lawrence county, by a vote practically equal to the number cast for both of his opponents, stood loyally by Gov

Nervous
Emotional
Dizzy
Depressed

Mrs. Addie Cartinger of Cedar St., Cairo, Ill., writes Dr. R. V. Pierce as follows:

"I send 1 cent for 'Common Sense' and 10 cents for my daughter who has recently married and I know the book will be of much value to her. I have read and used for 25 years the valuable treatise on diseases in the medical Adviser and have taken many bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and have been greatly relieved with each bottle. It is a great remedy for women as a strength builder, fine for the nerves and general health."

WOMEN who are restless, with constant change of position, "fidgetiness," who are abnormally excitable or who experience fainting or dizzy spells, or nervous headache and wakefulness are usually sufferers from the weaknesses of their sex.

DR. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription

is the soothing, cordial and womanly tonic that brings about an invigorating calm to the nervous system. Overcomes the weakness and the dragging pains which resemble the pains of neurasthenia. Thousands of women in the past forty years can bear witness to its benefits.

Your dealer in medicines sells it in liquid or sugar-coated tablet form; or you can send 50 one-cent stamps for a trial box on Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription tablets. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N.Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets Regulate and Invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Sugar-Coated Tiny Granules.

NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM THE WORLD AT LARGE.

THURSDAY, July 30

Whether or not all Europe shall become involved in the Austro-Serbian conflict depends upon the action of Russia and every indication there points to war. The mobilization of troops continues, and the attitude in that country is that nothing can make it swerve from the determination to aid Serbia. Hostilities between Austria and Serbia began definitely yesterday when the Austrian troops bombarded the old capital, Belgrade, from across the River Save, and the Serbians in turn destroyed the Selim bridge to prevent further attack. All the European nations are going forward with military preparations so as to be ready for eventualities.

President Wilson told a delegation of business men yesterday that the Government is not "running amuck" and that he hopes with the completion of the anti-trust programme in the next few weeks, a new era of honest prosperity may be inaugurated.

Attorney General McReynolds will soon be nominated to the Supreme Court, according to well-founded Washington advices. T. W. Gregory, of Texas, is prominently mentioned for succession to the Attorney Generalship.

President Wilson has decided not to oppose the renomination or re-election of Democratic members of Congress who have supported the State policies, regardless of local or State affiliations.

Gen. Carranza has sent word to the Washington Junta of the Constitutionalists that the unconditional surrender of Carranza will solve the situation in Mexico.

Louisville is to get \$1,300,000 and Lexington \$300,000 of the crop loan fund assigned to Kentucky, according to tentative plans of the Treasury Department.

An injunction has been granted by the Federal Court in a suit recently brought in West Virginia to test the "Blue Sky" law of that State.

The first ocean-going vessel to traverse the Panama Canal will be the Cristobal which is to go from Colon to Balboa next Monday.

Four stages in Yellowstone Park were held up yesterday by two highwaymen and \$3,000 was obtained from the passengers.

Congress will adjourn late in August. Assurances to this effect have been obtained from Democratic leaders.

FRIDAY.

Representatives of the Ohio Home Rule Association filed with the Secretary of State at Columbus petitions for the submission of a proposed constitutional amendment which would prevent State prohibition of the liquor traffic by statutory means.

With the announcement of Paul M. Warburg that he would appear to answer questions before the Senate Banking Committee, President Wilson is looking over the field for a man to fill out the Reserve Board.

The "wet" and "dry" forces yesterday filed petitions for a local option election in Lexington September 28. The argument on the cases will be heard by Judge Bullock next Tuesday.

James and Andrew Williams, farmers in Oklahoma, were arrested by United States officers on a charge of having negro boys shipped to them whom they held in peonage.

President Wilson intends to appoint a successor to the late Justice Lurton, of the Supreme Court, before the present session of Congress adjourns.

More than 3,000 persons were drowned and \$4,000,000 worth of property was destroyed by floods in the province of Kwing Tung, China.

Representative Ben Johnson said a prominent financier in Washington told him a fund was being raised to work against his re-election.

Advices from every quarter to the Washington Government showed a trend toward the restoration of tranquility throughout Mexico.

President Wilson is considering the question of touring several States during the coming campaign.

SATURDAY.

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yielded somewhat less revenue than the Payne law, slightly more than the Dingley law and one and a half times as much as the McKinley and Wilson laws.

Four persons were killed when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad passenger train at Renfrew, Pa.

Dr. Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., was elected president of the Clinical Congress of Surgeons of North America, in session in London.

SUNDAY.

The first shots in the Russo-German war were exchanged between patrols late yesterday near Petropavlovsk, south of Koniagasherg. Late last night placards were posted in Pairs calling for general mobilization, and actual war between Germany and France is expected to follow soon, it is stated. The declaration of war against Russia by Germany earlier in the day was quickly followed by the departure from St. Petersburg of the Berlin Ambassador and his staff. The declaration of war electrified the Russian capital, and wild street scenes ensued. England, though declining she is under no formal obligation to aid France, is making preparations for any event. The United States has been asked by Germany. Great Britain and France to take charge of their embassies in the war zone, and has accepted.

Active measures are to be taken by President Wilson and Secretary Bryan to aid Americans in distress abroad. The Government is considering a plan to send army transports to carry over gold and bring back United States citizens wishing to come.

It is expected that an amendment to the Panama act will be passed at once, making it possible for foreign-built shipping to obtain American registry to the end that a threatened paralysis of this country's export trade, due to the European crisis, may be averted.

The New York Stock Exchange remained closed Saturday, and the indications are that it will not reopen until some of the other large centers resume business. Gold shipments abroad continue.

Foreign steamship lines sailing the Pacific have ordered their vessels to make neutral ports as soon as possible.

A comparatively light vote seems to have been cast in Kentucky Saturday in the senatorial and congressional primary. Returns are incomplete and indicate a close contest between Stanley and Beckham for the long senatorial term. Senator Camden appears to have won the nomination for the short term with ease. Some changes in the Democratic lineup for Congressmen are indicated and Judge Hobson seems to have lost the nomination for the Court of Appeals. Not enough returns were received to fix the choice of the Republicans or Progressives for senatorial honors. Congressman Sherley won his nomination handily in the Fifth district. Stunley also carried the district.

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Plans for relief of Americans now in Europe by the United States Government, include issuance of "embassy checks." If necessary transports will be provided to bring Americans home. Secretary Bryan is at work perfecting arrangements for distributing aid through all American consulates.

Plans to prevent exportation of gold which would seriously cripple American financial institutions are being made. If Europe refuses to pay American bills in specie the United States will pay European bills with paper, according to Government authorities.

Administration officials are determined that the strict neutrality of all ports in the Philippine Islands shall be preserved. Orders to this effect will be issued in view of the probability of a naval conflict between European Powers in Asiatic waters.

The better grade of Kentucky petroleum has suffered another decline and is now quoted at \$1 a barrel, compared with \$1.36 at the beginning of the year.

TUESDAY.

Great Britain announced the mobilization of her forces, and has given France assurances that the German fleet will not be permitted to attack the French coast.

It has not yet pledged itself to contribute an army to a continental war. All the great powers except Italy are mobilizing with all energy. It was officially announced that a German force has invaded France. The German Ambassador to France was given his passport last night and departed for Berlin. The Emperor of Russia in a statement called upon Russians to rise to a man and repel the attack of Germany. According to German authority German airmen have for two days been dropping bombs in an effort to destroy German railway.

The Senate and the House both passed the emergency measure locking more than a billion dollars of currency, and the House passed the bill waiving restrictions on American registry for foreign-built ships to assure passage of a bill appropriating \$250,000 to be used by the President to care for Americans in Europe.

Provisional President Carbajal's word to the American Government that Gen. Carranza's forces are marching south, gave rise to the belief in some quarters that the rebel chief, unwilling to grant amnesty in advance, has abandoned the peace conference plan and intends to take Mexico City by force.

Announcement that the Progressives would co-operate or even actually combine with the Republicans in some of the approaching States elections was contained in a letter received by members of the Progressive Congressional Committee from George W. Perkins.

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PATRICK.

The school opened at the Preston Gap school house with Miss Nancy O'Daniel teacher. Mr. Boling, our trustee, was present and gave us an interesting speech.

There was church and Sunday School at this place Sunday.

Miss Gusie Preston returned home Sunday night from a visit to friends.

All of the voters of this place went to the primary Saturday.

There was no school election at Preston Gap school house for school trustee. The trustee did not get the notices and blanks, but the trustee, Mr. Boling, has a petition to the County Board of Education signed by the patrons of our sub district and, Mr. Boling has been a good trustee and has the welfare of our school at heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Price, of Van Lear, are visiting home folks this week.

M. Boling was in Louisa Monday.

TWO BLUE EYES.

POTTER.

Rev. M. A. Hay will preach here the third Sunday.

Miss June Atkins is progressing very nicely with her school.

Miss Marge Curmite attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Ed Cains and Miss Oneta Austin attended the festival at Deephole Saturday night.

The boys and girls of this community are contemplating organizing a literary Friday night.

Grover Daniels and Miss Margaret Rickman spent Saturday in Louisa.

R. S. Hayes, who has been sick for some time, is improving.

Frankie Atkins left Monday on No. 36, Rockcastle being his destination.

Jamie Caines was calling on Miss Nellie Hogue Sunday.

T. B. Hayes has returned from the wilds of West Virginia.

Wootie Caines was visiting Miss Mille Hogue Sunday.

Misses May and Fanny Austin attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Claude Hayes makes daily trips to W. F. Austin.

McKinley Munsey was visiting Miss June Atkins Sunday.

Rev. Winkler preached an interesting sermon at Horseford school house Sunday.

An exciting ball game was played between Huletts Branch and Fallsburg school boys Saturday, score 13 to 18 in favor of Huletts Branch.</p

BIG SANDY NEWS.

ESTEP.

Bro. Jarvis filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday.

Miss Bertha Towler, of Princess, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edna Hall.

Mrs. Lindsey White and daughter, Lizzie, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Enyart Sunday.

Misses Ethel Buckley, Myrtle Neal, Josie Chambers and Nora Elswick visited their cousin, W. E. Queen, at Louise recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Stewart spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Martha Lambert.

Mrs. Bettie Lockhart and grandson, Glenn Litter, of Kansas City, Mo., are spending the summer with relatives at this place.

Claude Burton, of Yatesville, passed through here one day last week.

Mrs. Mary Bostick, of Stonington, Ky., has been at the bedside of her father for the past two weeks.

T. B. Elswick is very low.

Several people from this place attended the funeral at Mt. Zion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Stewart are visiting home folks at this place.

TWO GEESE.

PROSPERITY.

The recent rain has very much revived our corn crops and pastures.

School is progressing nicely at this place.

Singing school will begin at Elm Grove Saturday morning, Aug. 8th. A large crowd is expected to attend.

Miss Nancy Roberts was the guest of Miss Ethel Wellman Saturday.

Several girls and boys from this place attended church at Oak Hill Saturday night and Sunday.

Jim Carter and Leo Berry were at Prosperity Saturday.

There will be an apron social at Elm Grove Saturday night, Aug. 8th. Everybody is invited to come.

TWO LITTLE GIRLS.

DONITHON.

Quite a crowd of young folks from Louisa and surrounding communities attended the foot-washing meeting at this place.

Death has again entered our community and took from the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pope their darling little baby, William S., aged two years. The remains were laid to rest at the Wallace graveyard.

Ance Fleide has typhoid fever. The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Chan Maynard is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Compton and children, of Torchlight, were visiting relatives at this place recently.

Mrs. C. H. Meredith and Miss Ethel Reddith, of Kenova, were calling on relatives recently.

Miss Mabel Osborn, of Louisa, spent a week with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lambert, of this place.

Mr. Chas. Frazier and children, of Gay, attended the meeting here in

several girls and boys from this attended church at Needmore last day.

Other Chapman was calling on his parents here recently.

Miss Flora and Anna Derefield, of Branch, spent the last week with cousin, Josie Lambert.

Yor and Walter Frazier returned West Virginia Saturday.

Miss Wellman spent a few days at home from her son at Louisa.

Several from this place attended the at the Falls Saturday.

Miss Belle Vinson and Margie Cas called on Donithon friends last

Thelma Maynard, of Fort Guy, visiting her brother at this place.

See is attending school and her aunt, Mrs. Sada Stansberry, in place.

W. Lambert was calling on Mar-

sunday Saturday night and Sun-

we will be church at the Donithon house Saturday night and Sun-

August 8th and 9th.

and Mrs. Jason Taylor were

in Louisa Saturday.

Mary Chapman was in Louisa y.

York, of Glenhines, passed by

at week.

W. Criddle Chapman and Lou

attended the funeral of the child of Mr. C. E. Pope.

LONELY KID.

LELOCIO.

will be an ice cream festival place Saturday night, Aug. 8th, benefit of the school.

Bingham and E. Spruill wedding.

Miss Hayes spent last week

sister at Galling.

Traley, of Torchlight, passed up

Thursday.

Mr. Fen Thompson, of Gal-

here visiting friends.

Artha Back, of Grifill Creek,

last week visiting friends.

Berry, of Fort Guy, was a

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advice if they were tendered

it would be

TO GET STRENGTH

Under the above heading

State Journal very truthfully

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SPLENDID

John H. Long, of Cochran, Ind.,

brought to the

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proper spray.

A. L. Moore, and was kind, loving and liked by all. Mr. Bingham comes very highly recommended as sober, industrious, of up-right character. May their seal of matrimony be smooth and their pathway be strewn with flowers the wish of their many friends.

On Friday, July 31st, Mr. Lindsey

Thompson and Miss Dona Thompson,

both of Noris, surprised their many

friends by quietly going to Louisa and getting married, Rev. H. B. Hewlett officiating.

Mr. Thompson is the son of Heek Thompson, and Mrs. Thompson

is the daughter of L. T. Thompson.

Both are of good character, and their many friends wish them success and a happy life.

Miss Nannie Back and niece were

visiting friends at Prospect Saturday and Sunday.

Several from here attended church at Noris last week, conducted by Rev. Frank Miller and Rev. A. H. Miller.

The NEWS is certainly a welcome visitor in our home. We are always anxious for it to arrive.

SOMEONE'S SWEETHEART.

Constipation Causes Sickness.

Don't permit yourself to become constipated, as your system immediately begins to absorb poison from the back-up waste matter. Use Dr. King's New Life Pills and keep well. There is no better safeguard against illness. Just take one dose to-night. 25¢ ut your Druggist.

ZELDA.

There will be an ice cream supper here Saturday night, Aug. 8, for the benefit of the Zeldas ice ball team.

Misses Kate and Clara Thompson

and Marie Quinn Heberlin, of Horse-

ford attended the ice cream supper.

Misses Ruby and Leslie Cooksey re-

turned to their home at Soldier, Ky., Sunday after spending the week with

their uncle, B. H. Cooksey.

Miss Hattie Cooksey was in Louisa

Thursday.

K. F. Compton, who has been in the

C. & O. hospital at Huntington, was

able to spend Saturday and Sunday

with his family, returned to Huntington Monday.

Mr. Easter Heberlin, of Rochester,

Ind., is visiting Mrs. Chas. Stump

this week.

Mrs. Susan Dean is improved in

health.

The ball game between Hulette Branch and Zeldas made the boys smile as the score was 6 to 17 in favor of Zeldas.

Curtis Burchett, who recently moved to Ironton, was back Saturday and Sunday to see friends and attend the ice cream supper.

Miss Sarah Bradley is at Fullerton

this week visiting relatives.

Misses Julia McCrory, Martha Chaf-

er, Bertha Ferguson, Mrs. Lizzie

Campbell and many others from Buch-

an attended the social at Buchanan

chapel Saturday night. HOOISER.

LICK CREEK.

School at this place is progressing nicely with John Clark teacher.

Miss Esther Heberlin was visiting

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collinsworth, Sat-

urday and Sunday.

Miss Tillie Skeens, of Louisa, is visit-

ing home folks.

Misses Flora and Anna Derefield, of

Branch, spent the last week with

cousin, Josie Lambert.

Miss Maggie Wilson, who is teach-

ing school at Peach Orchard, returned

home Saturday, accompanied by Misses

Alma Cassell and Nellie Wilson. All

returned to Peach Orchard Sunday.

Quite a crowd of youths and maidens

tramped up the hill Sunday after-

noon to call on Misses Maggie and

Goldie Wilson.

There will be an ice cream festival

Saturday night, Aug. 8th, at Lower

Lick Creek school house for the benefit

of the school.

L. L. C.

Summer Constipation Dangerous.

Summer colds are dangerous. They

indicate low vitality and often lead to

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, August 7, 1914.



The difference the styles assert
Twixt poverty and riches,
The poor man wears a laurel shirt,
The rich man flannel britches.

Refrigerators at Snyder's. 4-6-12

Fresh line of paint at Snyder's.

Nice lawn seats for sale at Snyder's.

George Parsons and family have moved to Ashland.

Bert Shannon and family are going to Chapman for residence.

HATS! HATS! HATS! At your own price. Justice's Store. 4-17

Mr. Shank, of the Louisa mill, has been quite sick several days.

Former Sheriff John Carter has moved into the Travis property.

The Rev. L. M. Copley preached at the Three Mile church Sunday.

Mexie, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johns, is ill of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Brad Chaffin, of Delianee, O., Wednesday gave birth to a daughter, stillborn. The mother is doing fairly well.

J. B. Crutcher is greatly improving his already desirable residence on Lock avenue by the addition of another story.

Milt Evans and family Saturday moved into the Burns house on the corner of Lady Washington and Pownagian streets.

The NEWS acknowledges with thanks the receipt of an invitation to attend the Carter County Fair, to be held August 26-27-28, 1914. A fine exhibit is assured.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: My wife Florence Maynard, has deserted her home and I will not be responsible for any contracts by her. M. F. MAYNARD.

WRITERS, TYPEWRITERS, TYPEWRITERS. Price from \$10.00 up. Cheap or dirt. Write for price list. E. M. HUFFMAN, Type-writer, Huntington, W. Va. 8-14.

Johns and Wallace Johns Saturday left for San Francisco to meet Tay Johns, who is returning from the Philippines. They expect to return about the 15th. Mrs. Wallace Johns and little son have returned to Columbus.

You will find the most complete and up-to-date line of new summer goods and best prices that has ever been offered to the people of this vicinity, now on display at JUSTICE'S STORE, now in depot. 4-8-13

Congressman W. J. Fields has a child at his home at Olive Hill very ill with typhoid fever. While Mr. Fields was hearing the return and learning of his overwhelming majority in the primaries on last Saturday, he was at the bedside of the little one.

With the close of Mr. Hughes' administration Mrs. Josephine Rice's services as assistant in the postoffice came to a close. Her work was entirely satisfactory to the department and to the public and she will be missed by the patrons of the office.

The work of laying a concrete pavement from A. J. Garret's office, around the Brunawick corner and up Madison street to Jefferson, is under way. It's too bad, of course, but riders and drivers who try to see just how close they can get to the sidewalk when turning the hotel corner will, for a short time at least, be compelled to take a longer turn.

The following relatives and friends are dinner and supper guests of Mr. Mrs. R. C. McClure Wednesday: C. C. Benner, Mrs. J. W. Valentine, Mrs. H. W. Blass and Mrs. O. G. Smith, of Huntington, and Miss Helen Smith, of Seymour, Ind. The last is the daughter of Mrs. Mollie in Galbraith, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Graham.

It is reported that through trains South Carolina to Cincinnati, via the Big Sandy Valley, will be put on time in September. The new from Danie, Va., to Elkhorn, in the Breaks of Sandy, is practically completed. This is the Clinch line and it is understood they have agreed with the C. & O. through business. It is said passenger trains will stop only at county seat towns, and will do so.

promises to be the greatest in history of the world is now in Europe. On one side Russia, Russia, France and On the other Austria-Hungary, and possibly Italy, other countries also are lining up on one side or the other.

All ocean commerce has ended. The United States is going to the rescue of a hundred thousand of our men who are in those countries at home or to get them out. Many battles have already been fought and thousands slain. A few have been sunk and some battles are expected to come.

Wilson has offered to net in an effort to stop the catastrophe. The people of the world pray that his offer may be accepted.

Atkinson Friday went to visit her brother, Frank

CANAL WILL GET IMMENSE TRAFFIC.

Washington, July 31.—The Panama Canal, which will be open to commerce in another two weeks, is destined at the outset to become a strategic highway of the world if the present hostilities between Austria-Hungary and Serbia develop into a general conflict involving the other great European Powers.

Treaty stipulation provides that the canal, like the Suez Canal, "shall be free and open to the vessels of commerce and of war of all nations," and "shall never be blockaded, nor shall any right of war be exercised or any act of hostility be committed within its."

The liability of search would be a hazard to Suez and Mediterranean commerce if the present war clouds burst, and it was pointed out that commercial activities might be more and more curtailed as the parties to the conflict declined more and more sharply the commodities to be included in contraband of war. It was suggested here that a large part of the Suez commerce might be diverted to Panama.

While the vessels of war as well as of commerce or belligerents may freely use the canal, exact rules have been devised to maintain the strictest neutrality of the waterway. The transit of war vessels must be made with the least possible delay, and with only such intermissions as may result from the necessities of the service. No belligerent may "embark or disembark troops, munitions of war or warlike materials in the canal, except in case of accidental hindrance to the transit, and in such case the transit shall be resumed with all possible dispatch."

The treaty provisions prohibiting any act of hostility in the canal precludes any war vessel from exercising the right of search on a commercial vessel in transit through the waterway, and this provision likewise protects all ships within three marine miles of either terminal.

CRIMSON CLOVER; HOW AND WHEN TO SOW IT.

A good many farmers of the State are contemplating sowing crimson clover this year. The crop can be successfully grown in Kentucky without a doubt. If the proper precautions are taken to make conditions such that the seed will germinate promptly, following is a list of suggestions and precautions which it will be well for all those intending to try a crop this year to observe:

Do not plant in corn or cultivated crops of any kind unless there is abundant moisture at the time of sowing.

When planting alone, prepare a good seed bed. A good seed bed is one that is fine and made firm by rolling.

Cover the seed carefully. Every seed not covered will probably be lost. Do not cover too deeply, however, or the seed may not get up. A clover seed drill is splendid for sowing crimson clover seed.

Do not sow later than the first of September and preferably by the middle of August.

Get good seed. Buy it by sample and test it for germination. Plant 100 seed in a box of clean sand and keep the sand moist. If less than 90 seed grow, refuse to buy the seed.

Do not pasture too close in the fall, nor too late. If you do it will certainly winter kill.

Do not plant on poor, thin piece of land without first fertilizing. In most cases an application of 200 pounds of acid phosphate per acre will be a satisfactory treatment.

Do not plant on wet, poorly drained land. No clover will grow on such land.

VACATION TRIPS ON THE GREAT LAKES.

Summer vacation travel on the Great Lakes is now in full swing, and the volume of tourist travel attracted to the lake routes by the splendid equipment of the passenger lines and for the cool and restful lake trips is even larger than in former seasons.

The Great Ship "SEEANDBEE," now running daily between Cleveland and Buffalo, has created a sensation with the traveling public who break their rail journey at either city to enjoy a delightful night's trip on this marvellous vessel.

The "SEEANDBEE" is the largest and most costly passenger steamer on inland waters of the world. She has 510 staterooms and parlors accommodating 1500 passengers, equaling in sleeping capacity the largest hotels of the country, and she can carry 6,000 people, the population of a good size town.

Notwithstanding her gigantic size, during the summer season her sleeping accommodations are reserved well in advance, and those contemplating the trip should arrange for rooms as early as possible.

All railroad tickets reading between Cleveland and Buffalo are good for transportation on C. & B. Line Steamers, and no one should miss the opportunity of using the lake route during the hot summer months. (adv.)

WHEN HER BACK ACHES

A Woman Finds All Her Energy and Ambition Slipping Away.

Louisa woman know how the aches and pains that often come when the kidneys fail make life a burden. Backaches, hip pains, headaches, dizzy spells, distressing urinary troubles, are frequent indications of weak kidneys and should be checked in thyme. Doan's Kidney Pills are for the kidneys only. They attack kidney diseases by striking at the cause. Here's proof of their merit in a Louisa woman's words:

Mrs Emma Marcum, Locust Ave., Louisa, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills did me a great deal of good after everything else had failed. I had backaches and pains throughout my body. My appetite was poor and I was nervous. Finally a neighbor advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills and I did. They made me feel better in every way."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Mureum had. Foster-Milburn Co., Prop., Buffalo, N. Y.

EXAMINATION FOR COUNTY ROAD ENGINEER.

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Examination.

The applicants for the position of County Road Engineer will be examined on the following subjects: Theory and Practice of Road Building; Drainage; Grades; Earth Computations; Use and Care of Road Machinery; Maintenance of Earth and Macadam Roads; and upon such other subjects relating to road problems as the Commissioner of Public Roads may deem to be of vital importance.

The examination will be written, and when the papers are graded, certificates will be issued to those successfully passing, which will entitle the holder to be considered by the County Judge as eligible for the appointment so far as his educational qualifications are concerned, but the County Judge will be responsible for determining the length of the services of his appointee and as to his general qualifications.

The Legislators realized that while it was advisable to secure Engineers to handle the road work of the various counties, that it was not practicable to force the counties to employ Engineers, because of the high salaries they are able to command, and the scarcity of technically trained men to handle this position, hence they provided for a practical road man, who should take the examination before the Commissioner of Public Roads.

The County Judge of the State is urged to cooperate with the State Commissioner in securing eligibles from which the County Judge may make his appointments.

Reputable Engineers will not be required to take the examination for the office of County Road Engineer. The County Judge will be responsible for the qualifications of any Engineer who is employed upon his reputation as a Civil Engineer. It is recommended that Civil Engineers be employed where they are available.

R. C. TERRELL, Commissioner.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MERCHANTS AND BUYERS:

Mr. C. L. Johnson, sales manager for southeastern division, Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co., St. Louis, manufacturing wholesalers owning and operating twelve factories, and carrying the largest open stock of imported merchandise in the West, has just completed a two weeks' trip through West Virginia and Eastern Kentucky, with C. O. McDougle, general salesman for this territory, and was greatly pleased with the reception given him by the merchants and buyers. He was favorably impressed with the wonderful possibilities for business in these great coal fields.

Mr. Johnson has arranged to furnish a sleeper leaving Bluefield on train No. 15 August 16th, for accommodation of buyers to visit St. Louis markets. Sleeper will also be run through on C. & O. from Huntington August 30th. Every courtesy possible in the way of transportation and the entertainment of visitors will be offered. Buyers desiring to make this trip can advise C. O. McDougle, care Frederick hotel, Huntington, W. Va., who will be in charge of the party and do everything possible to make the trip both pleasant and profitable.

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EAST POINT.

Misses Edna and Ruth Conley, of Hager Hill, and their cousins, Misses Fannie and Lucy Frater, of Magoffin county, were the pleasant guests of Mrs. J. C. B. Auxier last week.

Mrs. Vergie Hollifield, who has been for over 100 days very low with fever, is improving.

Bros. Green Allen and Ernest Mullins, of Van Lear, preached on Little Point and at East Point Saturday and Sunday, and baptized one.

Born to Hasadore Robinson and wife son.

Mrs. Julia Fitzpatrick visited her daughter Eula at Paintsville last week.

Mrs. Augusta Auxier, of Edinburg, Ind., visited at J. S. Kelley's, S. R. Auxier's, Dr. Archer's and J. C. B. Auxier's recently.

Ballard May and wife visited J. D. Auxier's Sunday.

Our school opened today with Prof. Witten, Miss Lucy Picklesimer and Henry Burke as teachers.

Two men, B. H. Littler and brother, from Off Springs, were killed at the Mary Luck mine today. It is supposed that they had gone back to see about a shot which had failed to go off. Ben Littler leaves a young wife, one child about two years old, and twin girls about one month old.

A. E. M.

Washington, July 25.—There were 109,021,000 persons living within the territory embraced by the United States on July 1, 1914, according to a bulletin containing the estimates of population for the years subsequent to the thirteenth census, made in 1910, prepared under the supervision of C. S. Sloane, geographer of the Department of Commerce, and issued yesterday.

The population of Kentucky is given at 2,350,731.

Miss Bertha Conley went to East Point Thursday to visit home people.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dana O'Neal visited friends at Wayne Sunday.

Dr. Bromley made a professional trip to Inez Sunday.

M. F. Castle, of Peach Orchard, was in Louisa Monday.

Jack Hatchett, of Huntington, was in this city recently.

Elliott Arnett, of Spaulding, W. Va., was here on Friday last.

Brig. Harris, of Cattlettsburg, was here a few hours Thursday.

Miss Florence Bradley is here from Cincinnati visiting her brothers.

Dr. Herman Fulkerson, of Big Sandy Junction, was in Louisa Thursday.

John Wade and wife, of Paintsville, are visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Milt Elderman, of Louisa, visited Mrs. M. G. Berry last week.

Miss Grace Remmle returned Tuesday from a visit in Holden, W. Va.

Mrs. Nathan Day has returned from a visit with relatives in Mt. Sterling.

Carl Walters Friday went to Louisa to see his mother, who is sick.

Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Dial, of Louisa, are visiting friends in Cattlettsburg.

Mrs. J. W. Burgess, of Huntington, is visiting her son, Dr. T. D. Burgess.

Miss Hazel McIntosh, of Ashland, was a recent guest of Miss Bess Ward.

John S. Marcum, prominent Huntington attorney, was here a short time Saturday.

Miss Eva Wellman has gone to visit friends and relatives in Pikeville and Paintsville.

Miss Louise Arnold, of Columbus, is visiting the family of her brother, L. S. Johnson.

Mrs. F. L. Stewart and Mrs. D. C. Spencer were shopping in Ashland on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Carey and little daughter, Katherine, were shopping in Huntington Monday.

Mrs. Ralph Gentry and little daughter have gone to pass a few weeks in Franklin, Ind.

Edgar Lowry and family Wednesday returned from Ronceverte and White Sulphur, W. Va.

Mrs. Fisher and Miss Nellie Fisher, of Ashland, were recent guests of the R. T. Burns family.

Mrs. J. C. Layne, of Huntington, attended the funeral of her brother, Mr. James W. Shannon.

A. D. Bradley was here from Kenova Saturday, returning from a visit to his mother at Yatesville.

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A Woman's Drink—
Everybody's Drink



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---and yours.

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Whenever
you see an
arrow think
of Coca-Cola.



WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS.

W. Va. Coal and Coke Shipments.

Charleston, W. Va., August 3.—T. D. Hobart, general coal freight agent of the Norfolk & Western railway, has just issued a statement of the shipments of coal and coke over his lines for the month of June, and for the first six months of the year. The statement shows a gain of 218,025 tons for June, 1914, over June 1913, and an increase of 82,895 tons for the first six months of this year over the same period of 1913. Should the present trouble between Servia and Austro-Hungarian Empire result in a prolonged war, in which all the first-class powers of Europe are involved, better times than ever are in store for the miners in the smokeless fields of West Virginia. In the first place there will be room for additional men in the smokeless fields. This opportunity for employment will be caused by the fact that several hundred subjects of the dual monarchy now employed in the mines in these fields, are members of the Austrian Reserve and they will have to go back to their own country to take their places in their several regiments.

Terrific Rain Storm on Guyan.

The most terrific rain storm of the season visited this section last Sunday and in a few hours caused thousands of dollars worth of damage to private and railroad property. Creeks were raised as if by magic and in a number of instances buildings were wrecked, fences carried away and chicken houses submerged and poultry drowned. The Guyan river at this point was so swollen and filled with drift and logs that fording it was a hazardous task, especially with light vehicles. The raise was about two feet in two hours. Probably the largest individual sufferer from the flood was Joseph Perry, whose property in

Elected Principal of Kenova School.

Prof. J. B. Artrip, who has held the principalship of the Fort Gay schools for several years, has been elected principal of the Kenova schools, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Y. York, Jr. Mr. Artrip has taught successfully for twenty-three years, mostly in West Virginia. He held a position in the Louis Normal one year and one year in the Normal school at Morehead, Ky. We congratulate the school board of Kenova upon their selection of him and predict that under his management their schools will make rapid advancement.—Wayne News.

Fined \$40 For Stealing Dress.

Charged with stealing a silk poplin dress from the store of the Logan Mercantile Co., Mrs. Little Sydenstricker, aged 19, was arrested in Huntington the first of the week and brought back here for trial. At a hearing the evidence was all against her despite her plea that a clerk in the store had given her the dress, and she was found guilty and fined \$10 and costs, amounting in all to about \$40. The fine was fixed in lieu of a jail sentence, which could not be imposed upon her from the fact that she carried a nursing baby.—Logan Democrat.

Killed By Falling Log.

Joseph Yance, aged 45, foreman at the Cole & Crane works at Cranec, and who was well and favorably known all through this section, was instantly killed on Wednesday morning by being crushed beneath a falling log. Mr. Yance was married and leaves a family.—Logan Democrat.



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COMBATANTS IN EUROPE'S WAR

(Courier-Journal)

Servia is a mountainous country a little less than half the area of Kentucky. The population is slightly larger than Kentucky, and is mainly made up of Servians, although there is a sprinkling of Romanians and gypsies. The Carpathian and Balkan ranges and the Dinaric Alps make the country rather difficult for large bodies of invading troops and favor small bodies of native soldiery acquainted with the territory and popularly supported.

The Servians are an agricultural people, depending largely upon the sheltered valleys and plains which yield generously while a rigorous climate exists in the mountains. Despite Government efforts to correct the defect there is practically no manufacturing in Servia, and while the ladder can be kept well filled so long as the land is not devastated the Servians are dependent upon help from beyond the borders for the machinery of war.

The Servians are poor. Their revenue is somewhat under \$15,000,000 a year. But they are frugal and the public debt has remained below the \$10,000,000 mark. Modern warfare is enormously expensive and quickly sends the national debt of a small agricultural country beyond the danger mark.

The thinness of the veneer of civilization in Servia is fairly reflected by the manner in which way was made for the present King to ascend the throne.

King Alexander's marriage with Draga Masehin, a lady-in-waiting twelve years his senior, did not please the Servian ministry and the ministry resigned. The people registered no objection to what the ministry regarded as an unsuitable match and the populace lustily cheered the bridal party.

But three years after the marriage, which was celebrated in 1900, a band of conspirators, or their henchmen, entered the palace and murdered the King and Queen and several other members of the royal household. The Servian statesmen who hatched the plot had previously made an arrangement with the pretender to the throne, Prince Peter Karageorgevitch, who was residing at Geneva.

It is, of course, denied that he sanctioned the means proposed, and his adherents hold that he did not know of any specific plot to clear the throne for his coming, but was willing to harbor to the call of his country should a vacancy occur.

At any rate the present King of Servia owes his elevation to one of the most savage crimes of modern history which could have been arranged as it was arranged only in a country whose leading men have the ethics of the statesmen of ancient Persia. King Peter was an old man when he secured the throne.

His first son's dissipation and disagreeable personal qualities made him an impossible heir apparent, and he stepped aside in favor of his younger brother, who has recently been occupying the throne in the absence of his father who had been popularly believed to have abdicated under consideration because of a wish to spend his declining years in care-free private life.

Bosnia and Herzegovina, the annexation of which has been a thorn in the side of Servia since it was accomplished a few years ago, were not parts of Servia.

Bosnia was the extreme northwestern province of Turkey-in-Europe, comprising both Bosnia proper and Herzegovina as well as parts of Turkish Croatia and Dalmatia. It was bounded on the north by the River Save, which, with the Danube, separates Servia from Hungary. The eastern boundary of Bosnia was Servia, and the southern boundary Albania and Montenegro. It was occupied by Austrian troops under the terms of the Treaty of Berlin, drafted in 1878, to be administered by the Austrian Government for an indefinite time.

Bosnia proper is nearly as large as Servia. It is inhabited chiefly by Bosniaks who are Mohammedans, and partly by Servians and Croats. Herzegovina is a mountainous section covering about 700 square miles. It contains only about 250,000 souls. Bosnia as taken by King Stephen of Servia in the Fourteenth century, but had experienced both independence and Turkish dominance when an Austrian military governor was placed in charge of it.

The annexation of the two Turkish "villayets" in which Servia had an interest followed the common course of events in world history after the Treaty of Berlin placed Austria in undisputed possession of the territory's affairs.

The capital of Bosnia is Bosnopolis, otherwise known as Sarajevo, where Grand Duke Ferdinand and the Grandauchess were assassinated by a Servian of anti-annexation sympathies. Arms are to a limited extent made in Sarajevo, and there are iron mines near by, but the equipment for manufacture is probably too small to be of consequence in modern warfare.

The total area of Austria-Hungary is 240,000 square miles as against less than 20,000 square miles within Servia's boundaries. Even in proportion to area Austria-Hungary is much richer than Servia. Its manufactures alone run to \$600,000,000 a year as against almost nothing in Servia. The empire has more than 20,000 miles of railway. There are less than 400 miles in Servia. The revenue of Austria-Hungary is nearly 3,000,000,000 crowns. The expenditures are less than the income. In the unequal contest with Servia, if the contest should remain confined to the two countries now involved, the cost of war would be a pittance to Austria where it would be ruinous to Servia.

Austria has been described as "no more than a geographical expression," a description applied some time ago to Italy, but since proved to be false.

There is no Austrian language, nationalities are bound in a political

compact. Germans, Czechs, Poles, Ruthenians, Slovaks, Italians and a few Servians and Croats inhabit Austria.

The Magyars form a powerful and compact element in the other partner in the dual empire, and are a fiercely patriotic one-third of the total population. They refuse to adopt the German language and sedulously cultivate Magyar civilization, customs and national spirit. The Magyars are regarded as the backbone of the empire and as the immovable frontier obstacle to Slav aggression in Europe, behind which stands the German Empire.

The Austro-Hungarian combination is essentially a military empire. Military service is obligatory upon all citizens between 20 and 42 who are capable of bearing arms, and the period of individual service is twelve years. This gives the empire a standing army of more than 350,000 on a peace footing and nearly 2,000,000 on a war footing. Although Austria has a very short coast line the development of the Italian navy caused the empire to enter into competition, and the fleet is made up of fast and well equipped units, manned by admirably trained officers and men.

While the battle is not always to the strong, a war between Austria and Servia so long as it is confined to Austria and Servia seems too one-sided to admit of much speculation as to results. Should it develop into a combat between the Trenton and the Slev, the struggle will be titanic.

CAUSES AND POSSIBILITIES OF IMBROGLIO IN THE EAST.

The Causes.

Servia's dream of centuries for a port on the Adriatic was about to be accomplished in the recent Balkan war when Austria-Hungary shattered it and also forced the Montenegrins to retreat from Cetinje.

Wise intensified the hatred of Austria that had been in the heart of Servians for 600 years and which was actively expressed in the recent assassination of Archduke Ferdinand, heir to the Austria-Hungarian throne, and his wife.

That assassination was the match to the magazine and Austria is apparently ready to fight for her desire of many centuries—control of the Balkan peninsula to the Aegean sea.

The Possibilities.

Russia has proclaimed herself the protector of Servia and of Rumania. By conquering Servia, Austria and her ally, Germany, would reach the Aegean sea, and thus hamper the southern Russian ports and commerce. Rumania is Russia's buffer State.

If Russia aids Servia—and already her army is mobilizing—this would call upon Germany and Italy, as parties to the Triple Alliance, to send their armies and navies against Russia in the aid of their ally, Austria-Hungary.

Then, as members of the Triple Entente between Russia, France and England, France and England may be compelled to aid Russia.

Thus there would be of the six great powers of Europe, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy on one side and Russia, England and France on the other.

France, at least its army, is apparently eager for the contest, seeking to regain lost Alsace and Lorraine and to avenge the war of 1871.

England, which has much to lose and little to gain, is bending every energy to prevent a general European war.

Bulgaria may be expected to aid the dual monarchy to avenge the wrongs which she believed she suffered just after the war with Turkey, when Servia attacked her and forced her to surrender most of what her army had won. Turkey is counted upon to aid Austria-Hungary while Greece, to prevent her annihilation by the southwest progress of Austria-Hungary will also support Servia and the Pan-Slavists.

Servia also counts on the rising tide of Pan-Slavism within the dual monarchy. And, outside of the active aid of Russia, the little kingdom is relying much on the reported indigence of the Austria-Hungary treaty.

FACTS ABOUT THE TWO BELLIGERENT NATIONS.

Servia.

Serbs, a Slavic tribe, invaded the present Servia—637. Converted to Christianity—909. Went under Turkish rule—1459. Got independence—1877. Proclaimed a kingdom—1882. Population—3,000,000.

Aren—16,649 square miles.

Capital—Belgrade.

Standing army—195,000 men.

Navy—None.

Ruler—Crown Prince Regent Alexander.

Austria.

Austria's wars began in 14 H. C., when the Romans conquered the Noric. The Hapsburg imperial family has reigned in Austria since 1825.

Area—241,513 square miles.

Population—45,405,267.

Standing army—810,000 men.

Capital—Vienna.

Navy—114 ships.

Ruler—Francis Joseph, emperor.

EVERGREEN.

There will be a pie social at this place Saturday night, August the 15th every body come girls bring the pies and the boys bring your pocket books it is for the benefit of the school.

School at this place is progressing nicely with Allen Miller teacher.

Aunt Mary Thompson is very ill at this writing.

Lindsey Cyrus and Miss Mae Hicks were out driving Sunday last.

Jim Carter was calling on Olive Hicks Thursday.

Mrs. Lon Burton and Mrs. A. L. Burton of Louisa are at the bedside of their Mother Mrs. Thompson.

Remember the pie mite. NED.

A CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends whose love, sympathy, and service were so freely given during the illness of our husband and father. Special recognition is due Mrs. Doc Jordan, whose skilled hands and faithful nursing rendered his closing days as comfortable as loving care could make them.

Mrs. James W. Shannon and family.

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The dress may be costly and beautiful but it does not impress him if the wearer is full of conceit and vanity. Sorry, indeed, will be the day when a man makes his estimate of a woman from the clothes she has on, and fails to see those immortal qualities of mind and heart which constitute the true woman. The mere expression of vanity in a woman is not hopeful, is not prophetic of happy homes or a noble citizenship.

THE GLORY OF OLD AGE.

There is glory in old age when it is the sunset time of a Christian life. There are springs of daily refreshing of which the world does not know. There are still opportunities for kind service. God leads our dear old friends all the day. They have traveled farther than most of us along the road that leads heavenward and in many instances have reached that point where with the spiritually quickened vision, they can almost penetrate the thin veil which hides what lies beyond.

To them heaven is a very close thing, and Jesus is a real savior and friend, is the opinion of the Christian Herald.

So they look forward not with doubt or misgiving, but with joy, to the reunion in the "good land" hereafter, with those who have already passed over. Let us not hold lightly the counsel of these veterans, who can look back over many a struggle and temptation which they have conquered but which we have yet to meet. Let us love and honor them while they are with us and comfort them in every way. We hold them with us a little while as hostages from heaven, where they belong.

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Mail your composition to Mr. Phelps, or hand it to him personally, but do not wait until the news is stale. Follow these rules carefully and editor, correspondent and reader can all be mutually helpful.

CUPID IN PIKE.

Following is a list of marriage certificates issued by the County Court Clerk's office at Pikeville for the past ten days.

Rob. L. May, age 18, to Beatrice Frank, 16, Stone, Ky.
Reuben Wallace, 24, to Phoebe Akers, 19, Myra, Ky.
Tom Johnson, 44, to Lena Johnson, 44, Melvin, Ky.
Reuben Childers, 18, to Eliza Ratliff, 17, Hellier.

Leonard Tackitt, 19, to Mary Jane Tackitt, 18, Hartley.
Chas. M. Layne, 33, to Anna Lee Justice, 19, Pikeville.

Floyd Blackburn, 17, to Effie Justice, McCombs, Ky.

Epp Sloane, 23, to Bettie Varny, 18, Raccoon, Ky.

MISS SANDUSKY DELAYED.

Miss Roberta Sandusky, formerly one of the corps of teachers at Pikeville College, who was to have arrived at Pikeville last Saturday, was delayed by the illness of her sister at Lexington.

Miss Sandusky will open her Domestic Science and Plain Sewing Class in the kitchen of the Presbyterian Church August 11th, instead of August 4th, as formerly planned. These courses are the same as those given at the State University, and all the young ladies of the city are invited to be present at the opening of the class to hear the first lesson, as the guests of Miss Sandusky.

CAMPBELL JUSTIFIED.

An article appeared in these columns from Prestonsburg last week, in which the writer unjustly criticizes County Superintendent M. F. Campbell, of Pikeville, for refusing to order the building of several small school houses at various places in the county.

This is Mr. Campbell's reason: It was formerly the custom in this State to split large school districts in two, and to build as many small schools in the county as possible, for the convenience of children in the rural districts. But experience has proven this an unwise idea, as stated by Prof. T. J. Coates, of Frankfort, who taught the last institute here in July. It is the modern idea to consolidate schools and school districts. This was fully discussed in a former article in this paper. For this reason, and the additional reason that the school fund was

well nigh exhausted, Mr. Campbell felt that he was justified in refusing numerous requests for these smaller schools.

OLD-TIME SPELLING.

As a result of a challenge sent to the girls of the Sunday School of the M. E. Church South by the boys on Sunday, July 26th, an old-time spelling match was held at the church Tuesday night, to test who were the best spellers, the boys or the girls. The girls won.

The old blue-back spelling book was used, and G. W. Pinson acted as "schoolmaster," and Prof. T. J. Kendrick as referee. James Renfro, teacher of the boys' class, was captain of the boys' side, and H. M. Hoskins, teacher of the girls' class, was captain of the girls' lineup.

Mr. Webber, a Cincinnati architect, did the best spelling on the side of the young men, but Miss Mary Auxier and others finally spelled him down.

NO TYPHOID.

Pikeville and Pike county are today nearer immune from typhoid, the summer scourge, and other ailments this season, than probably ever before. Physicians say there is but one case of typhoid within the limits of the city at the present time, and very few cases of it are to be found in the entire county, and a lower percentage of sickness generally than in many previous years.

Paved streets and the exertions of the City Board of Health are principally responsible, with the aid of the dry weather, for the present unusually perfect health conditions at Pikeville.

PRIMARY RESULTS.

The primary election held here last Saturday was attended with great public interest. At the close of the day reports were slow in coming in, and it was not until late Sunday that a definite line could be drawn on the situation. Beckham received about 50 majority in the county, Wilson about 25, Camden about 1400, and Fitzpatrick 340. The exact figures in the two Pikeville precincts were as follows:

North Pikeville.

Democrat—Beckham received 50 votes, McCrory 75, and Stanley 6 in the race for the long term.

In the Democratic race for the short term Camden 93, Smith 5, and B. H. Medlen 1.

Young 13.
Republican—Ernst received 42 votes, Wilson 100, and McLaughlin 1, in the long term race.

In the short term race Fitzpatrick received 70 and Bullitt 31.

Progressive—Vance 3, Jolly 1.

South Pikeville.

Democratic—Beckham 49, McCreary 56, Stanley 1, in the race for the long term.

Short term—Camden 84, Young 8, Smith 3.

Republican—Ernst 61, Wilson 47, McLaughlin 4.

Short term—Fitzpatrick 51, Bullitt 38.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTIONS.

A Sunday School convention representing all the churches of Pike county will be held at Pikeville Friday and Saturday, Sept. 4th and 5th, and a picnic will also be given to the visitors by the Pikeville churches on Saturday.

Before this union convention can be held, four sub-conventions must first be held in the county, one at Zebulon, one at Coal Run; one at Yeager, on Shelby Creek, and one at Elkhorn City. Three of these have already been held. Preparations are being made for the greatest Sunday School event in the history of Pike county. Two delegates to represent each church are selected at the sub-conventions, and these with a party of friends will attend the mass convention here in September. The convention will be held in the M. E. Church South.

HOTEL CHANGES HANDS.

The Williamson hotel, formerly operated by J. M. Dunmire, was leased to Sheriff George M. Mullins by the owners last Wednesday. The hotel, which was formerly the old Hubbard Williamson house, will be managed by Luther Mullins, son of the sheriff, and his wife, who expect to operate a modern and up-to-date hotel.

POSTAL DELIVERY COMING.

Mayor I. M. Williams has spent several days canvassing the city, as directed by the council, to ascertain the number of figures and other necessities required before the postal delivery service can be inaugurated. Both the Mayor and Council are doing their utmost to get this needed improvement into operation as soon as possible, and this will be a most creditable monument for their administration.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The picnic and ball game between teams made up of married and single men on the campus of Pikeville College last Thursday were great successes. Rarely has it been the pleasure of Pikeville people to see so many delectables prepared in such pleasing manner as were spread the entire length of the portico in front of Hendrick Hall. This had nothing of the appearance of hard times.

Iev. I. N. Fannin returned last week from a business visit of several days to Huntington.

Judge J. M. Roberson spent last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday on the eastern border of Pike county making speeches in the interest of Gov. McCrory's race.

Attorney W. W. Reynolds returned last Thursday from a professional visit to Beaver Creek in Floyd county.

Rev. Wade Rowe attended picnics held at Coal Run and Yeager last week.

Mrs. W. H. McCulloch and two little sons arrived at Pikeville last Friday, and they will make their future home in this city.

Eugene Davis, who is now working with the Marrowbone shifter from Shebiana, spent Sunday in Pikeville.

The second team of Pikeville went to Island Creek Saturday to play the local team at that place in the afternoon. The Pikeville boys had the better of the game by long odds until the close of the game, when the Island Creek boys scored heavily, and the game closed with one point in their favor.

Miss Eunice Weller, of Louisa, arrived here last Sunday evening to be the guest of her brother Len and wife for a few days.

C. T. Rule and H. C. Arnett, of Paintsville, were business callers here during the first part of the week.

Glen Ferrell, of Louisa, has been here for several days recently.

George Hatfield and Henry Smith, of Williamson, were business visitors to Pikeville this week.

The Green automobile, Willie Call driving, stuck fast in the quicksand while trying to ford the Sandy river last Sunday, and a mule had to be hitched to it to bring it ashore.

Mrs. W. H. Justice, of Catlettsburg, arrived at Pikeville last Sunday evening on her way to visit friends and relatives at her former home in the country above Pikeville.

James P. West, who during the past eighteen months has been assistant manager of the Sandy Valley Telephone Co., having charge of the mechanical department, left last Friday with Mrs. West and niece Sadie for Ashland, where Mr. West will be employed a few days before going to New Orleans where he will have charge of a division of the telephone system of that city.

Miss Lizzie Mullins, daughter of Sheriff Geo. M. Mullins, returned last Friday from a visit to friends and relatives at Marrowbone.

D. C. Polley, of Millard, Ky., was in town last Friday.

Miss Virgie McCombs, teacher at the Baptist Sunday School, last Thursday entertained her class at the home of Dr. J. W. Vicars last Thursday. Prof. Rude Deskins, also a teacher at the Sunday School of the Christian Church, entertained his class at his home on Scott avenue Saturday. Both entertainments were delightful affairs, and were greatly enjoyed.

County Attorney Ed Picklesimer attended Squire Adkins' court at Elkhorn City last Thursday.

James Hatcher went to Iev. last Friday to vote Saturday, having transferred his citizenship to Floyd county.

Misses Metta and Mary Louise Fletcher, of Axier, Floyd county, who were the guests of Miss Mary Auxier at her home on College street for several days, have returned to their home in Floyd county, after enjoying a most delightful visit to Pikeville. They expect to become students in a St. Louis Medlen College this fall. They were

also former students at Marshall College in Huntington.

H. M. Hoskins and James Hoskins, the Kimball Piano salesmen and local distributors, have moved their office into the Thornsby building, adjoining the Kate D. Hatcher millinery store. They were formerly located in the First National Bank building.

Mrs. James Deut and daughter, Miss Della Mae, of Ashland, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker at their home on Fourth street this week.

James Peery, C. & O. fireman, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Peery, at their home on Second street Monday.

Ruben Anderson, the "big man" of Shelby Creek, was in town Monday. Attorney W. D. Blair, of Prestonsburg, was here professionally this week.

Pike County was in session at its regular August term for the trial of civil cases Tuesday.

Alex Spradlin of Prestonsburg, and J. C. Auxier, of East Point, two experienced coal men of Floyd and Johnson counties, were here looking over the Pike county coal opportunities, with a possible view to investment Tuesday.

Grover Whitman, who has been spending a few days of his vacation with parents here, has returned to his work with the Yellow Poplar Lumber Co. in Virginia, just above Elkhorn City.

Mr. R. R. Barton, of Catlettsburg, was here stopping at a local hotel last Monday.

DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

News From Paintsville and the Surrounding Country.

Miss Eva Wellman, of Louisa, is here the pleasant guest of Miss Jennie Fern Spradlin.

Heber Wheatley, of Aden, Ky., is here the guest of home folks.

Mrs. James Layne and children, of Prestonsburg, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Amanda Wheatley.

Edgar Phipps, of the Standard Oil Co., Ashland, was a business visitor here this week.

Washington Wheeler, of Oil Springs, visited his brother Jasper here this week.

John Ramey has had his laundry completed and the first whistle blew Thursday morning. This improvement will be a great help for Paintsville.

John F. Sagraves, of Huntington, is here this week a business visitor.

Miss Julian Stapleton, of Oil Springs, was the guest of Miss Josie Ward this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Dial, of Louisa, are here this week where the Reverend will fill his appointment at the Christian Church Sunday.

Rev. J. C. Kilgo, of Durham, N. C., and Dr. U. V. W. Darlington, of the Morris Harvey College, Barbourville, W. Va., were here Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Wade Rowe attended picnics held at Coal Run and Yeager last week.

Mrs. W. H. McCulloch and two little sons arrived at Pikeville last Friday, and they will make their future home in this city.

Eugene Davis, who is now working with the Marrowbone shifter from Shebiana, spent Sunday in Pikeville.

The second team of Pikeville went to Island Creek Saturday to play the local team at that place in the afternoon. The Pikeville boys had the better of the game by long odds until the close of the game, when the Island Creek boys scored heavily, and the game closed with one point in their favor.

Miss Eunice Weller, of Louisa, arrived here last Sunday evening to be the guest of her brother Len and wife for a few days.

C. T. Rule and H. C. Arnett, of Paintsville, were business callers here during the first part of the week.

Misses Maude and Blanche Ward spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Levi Peters, of Louisa.

Miss Eva Wellman, who had been the pleasant guest of Miss Jennie Fern Spradlin for the last few days, left last evening for Pikeville, where she will spend a few days with friends before returning to her home at Louisa.

Ira W. See spent Sunday with home folks at Louisa.

Miss Caryl Yeager returned last evening from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Snod, at Borderland, W. Va. Mrs. Snod accompanied her home.

Walter Davis and Miss O'Boyle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Buckingham.

Miss Thelma Meek, of Thelma, Ky., was in town Monday shopping.

La. La Viers, manager of the Northgate Coal Company, is at Auxier on business for the company.

Misses Mildred Powell, Irene La Viers and Misses H. La Viers, R. C. Thomas, Wm. Merwin, C. T. Rule, Ed Conley and Francis Rice spent Sunday afternoon Saturday in a delightful game of tennis on the La Viers court. Several sets were played and Miss La Viers and Mr. Conley won, with Miss Powell and Mr. Rule as close seconds.

Saturday evening a crowd of young folks laden with marshmallows and matches made their way to the salt well just out of Grabenick and spent a delightful hour or two toasting marshmallows and telling stories. The party was made up of Misses Irene La Viers, Edna Hager, Loretta Prindle, Margaret Auxier, Eva Rice, Mildred Powell, Eva Wellman and Jennie Spradlin and Russell Hager, Ed Conley, Heber Wheatley, Frank Cooper, Gaff Price, Martin Wheeler and Mr. Norton and Mr. Lafferty.

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